

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Sugar 3 5-8.

S. Roth returned yesterday.

Charles F. Wall was a passenger by the Australia.

C. H. Bishop, the Lihue merchant, returned by the Australia.

A big portion of the Australia's cargo consisted of goods for the holidays.

C. E. Kempster, son-in-law of W. H. Rickard, returned from the Coast yesterday.

D. B. Smith, the shoe merchant, returned on the Australia from a business trip to the Coast.

Captain Milsaps of the Salvation Army has been made assistant editor of the New York War Cry.

F. Klamp, one of the buyers for H. Hackfeld & Co., returned by the Australia from a six-months' trip to Germany.

Kamaka, the portly native who had charge of the laborers for the Wilder S. S. Co., died at his home yesterday morning.

Hon. W. O. Smith, Dr. J. K. Smith and H. Focke went down to Gay's Ranch by special train Saturday returning yesterday.

Bandmaster Berger returned from his trip to Germany on the Australia yesterday. He reports a fine time and looks in the best of health.

Captain Read, Minister Willis and seven officers of the U. S. S. Olympia paid an official visit to the President yesterday morning.

The Hawaiian National Band left Kansas City for Texas October 5th. After remaining there a fortnight the boys intended to go back to Chicago and from there proceed to New York.

The Bennington will leave for Hilo, Hawaii, on or about October 29th, to be away about a fortnight. It is probable that Minister Willis will be the guest of the captain and officers on the trip.

Mrs. D. P. Birnie is the organizer of a new literary club consisting of eight couples. The members will meet at Mrs. Birnie's residence twice each month. The first meeting was held last evening.

George B. Greig, "king of Fanning Island," is in San Francisco to meet Sir Audley Coote on cable matters. He will probably stop here on his voyage home. Mr. Greig is well known to Honolulu people.

The Board of Health settled claims to the amount of \$3452 yesterday for damage to property destroyed during cholera epidemic. There are a few more in which there are differences but which will be settled and paid this week.

Willie Keough, a member of the Hawaiian Band, received the sad intelligence of the death of his father in San Francisco on September 24th. Mr. Keough visited his son here about eighteen months ago.

It is understood that Dr. Castle, a well-known physician of Cincinnati, Ohio, who some time ago applied for a position under the Board of Health here, will be offered the management of the Kalihi Experimental Lepet Station.

M. Louison and wife, parents of the late Samuel Louison, who was buried on Sunday last, arrived by the Australia yesterday. Their son Abe went on the pilot boat to meet them and communicate the sad intelligence regarding his brother.

A correspondent from Kahakula writes that a native man went crazy there recently on account of the prophecy of dire calamity to the islands by the would-be prophet Lukela, against whom many too sanguine natives now have a special grudge.

D. Howard Hitchcock left for Hilo by the Kinau yesterday afternoon. His mother is very ill, necessitating his immediate return. Mr. Hitchcock was just getting settled down to his work in the city. Being called away at such a time is particularly unfortunate.

The Waianae Racing Association will hold a meeting some time during the week. The cholera epidemic interfered materially with the arrangements for the Christmas meet, but the men at the head of affairs are trying their best to have races in the near future. What the result will be decided at a meeting to be held shortly.

The many friends of A. L. C. Atkinson will be glad to learn of his success in passing examinations for entrance to the law department at Ann Arbor University, Michigan. In his section there were thirty candidates for admission. Out of this number seven passed in all subjects. Mr. Atkinson was among the worthy ones. The remaining twenty-three were conditioned.

THE HAWAIIAN HOTEL.

Rumored That General Warfield Will Lease It.

COLONEL MACFARLANE MANAGER.

A Very Nice Scheme If It Worked—The Rumor Denied Here, and General Warfield Says "Bosh"—Hooper May be in the Deal.

San Francisco papers are treating their patrons to a very nice story regarding the lease of the Hawaiian Hotel to General Warfield, manager of the California Hotel of that city. The Chronicle prints the following regarding it:

General R. H. Warfield's negotiations for the lease of the Royal Hawaiian Hotel may not progress as satisfactorily as the General might wish, after the Hawaiian Government becomes advised of his plans for the future management of the caravan-sary. In his efforts to secure possession of the hotel General Warfield, it is now believed, is backed by Colonel George Macfarlane, the present lessee. He would like to run the Royal Hawaiian in connection with the California, and thus lay pipe for an invincible monopoly of the Honolulu passenger trade. Colonel Macfarlane would continue in the active management of the Honolulu Hotel, under General Warfield's lease, and the General and the Colonel, by playing a game of shuttlecock with the tourist travel between California and the Islands, would thus deprive the other San Francisco hotels of all the Honolulu business.

General Warfield and Colonel Macfarlane are on terms of intimate friendship. When Colonel Macfarlane comes to San Francisco he invariably occupies apartments at the California. He was married there, and outside of his individual patronage, Colonel Macfarlane has had other business relations with the California Hotel manager. Accordingly, when the lease of the big Honolulu hotel approached its expiration Colonel Macfarlane singled out General Warfield as the person who could best obtain a renewal of the lease for him, and negotiations to that effect have been going on for some time past.

The Royal Hawaiian Hotel, as it is called, has been conducted as a Royal headquarters by Colonel Macfarlane, and his management of the property has naturally met with the disapproval of the Hawaiian Government and the better class of people in the Islands. Colonel Macfarlane is shrewd enough to see that he cannot get a renewal of the hotel lease from the Hawaiian Government, and he is looking to General Warfield to get the lease for him. The plan, as understood, is for General Warfield to sublease the hotel to Colonel Macfarlane, or place the hotel under Macfarlane's management, which would amount to the same thing. All the visitors who stop at the Royal Hawaiian would be directed to go to the California Hotel on their arrival in San Francisco, and it would be a very amiable and profitable arrangement all round. In view of the dicker, however, the negotiations for the lease may suffer a severe setback when the Hawaiian Government takes cognizance of the facts.

General Warfield still stoutly declares that he is not negotiating for the lease. He cannot afford to have it suspected that he is until the deal is consummated. The general also declared last evening in tones loud enough to quell a strike that he would throw any one out of his hotel who dared make the assertion that he wanted to lease the Honolulu caravan-sary. Meantime it may be that Major Hooper of the Occidental, who now enjoys the island trade, will enter the lists for the Hawaiian lease.

Mr. E. C. Macfarlane was seen last night, and in reply to a question regarding the matter denied emphatically that there was any truth in it. He said: "They have probably mixed a plan we have in view regarding the hotel with something of their own manufacture, and the article noted is the result."

It is rumored that the scheme Mr. Macfarlane speaks of is one wherein he will lease the property from the Government when Dr. McGrew's lease expires.

A Now Road Proposed.

A petition signed by fifty-two property holders was presented the Minister of Interior yesterday asking that a new road be cut from Nuuanu street between the residences of W. O. Smith and T. W. Hobron, extending to Liliha street terminating at the lot owned by David Dayton. Minister King, after examining the plans decided that the street should be made and that forty-two feet would be the proper width. This was recommended to the Chief Justice with a request that a jury be appointed to assess damages.

Fine Furniture.

Hopp & Co. call attention in another column to various styles of furniture sold by them. The idea

of letting people know the exact cost of furniture sufficient for a four-room cottage is a new one here, and one that will be appreciated by intending purchasers.

Alfred Carter as Judge.

If petitions count for anything Alfred W. Carter will be appointed to succeed Judge Cooper on the bench of the Circuit Court. A document to this effect has been circulated of late and has received the signatures of nearly all the members of the Honolulu Bar Association. It is considered doubtful whether Mr. Carter will accept the position if tendered him, as the departure of Minister Smith to New Zealand will require Mr. Carter to give himself up to the duties of the Attorney-General's office.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Matters of Interest Discussed Yesterday.

A session of the Board of Health was held yesterday morning at 9 o'clock.

The purchase of the Kaimiloa as a fumigating barge, for which the Board of Health made an offer of \$2000, was brought up. No report by the committee was forthcoming.

Health Agent Reynolds was authorized to purchase three mules for garbage service.

On motion of T. F. Lansing all restriction on travel on the island of Oahu was rescinded.

With respect to passengers of all kinds going to the other islands, it was decided that they should be allowed to go after thorough fumigation.

Dr. Day moved that all restrictions on goods shipped from licensed houses, excepting second-hand furniture and clothing, be removed. Carried.

J. T. Waterhouse moved to ask Dr. Armitage for his resignation and to tell him at the end of November his services will no longer be required by the Board. Carried.

Dr. Armitage's place will be offered to Dr. Raymond.

J. T. Waterhouse, an old member of the Board of Health, was chosen president in place of W. O. Smith, resigned, for several weeks for the purpose of taking a vacation in New Zealand.

The sum of \$600 was voted for the destroyed taro land at Kalihi.

Nuuanu Stream.

The Government has decided to adopt the last plan suggested for the course of Nuuanu stream. This is the one about five hundred feet west of the present bed of the stream. It will pass through property of Mrs. C. A. Brown and the Saint Louis College. Mrs. Brown asks \$3000 for the lot owned by her, but it is believed it may be bought for less. The college management has consented to accept another piece of property in lieu of the piece taken by the Government. When this new bed is dug the old stream will be filled in. It is the intention to straighten and extend Beretania street at the same time the work on the stream is done.

Bridge at Waiohono.

Superintendent Rowell is engaged in completing arrangements for building a bridge across the gulch at Waiohono in the district of Hana, on Maui. This is on the land owned by the Reciprocity Sugar Company and will be a great convenience to the people engaged there. The plantation company made a proposition to build the bridge, the Government to pay interest on the money at ten per cent. Minister King decided that the work could be done more reasonably here and it will proceed at once. The abutments will be built by the plantation company.

Our Hawaiian Nightingale.

The following is from the Sydney Morning Herald of September 28th: "Miss Annis Montagu is arranging to give up her home in Sydney and settle in Honolulu, where she has many relatives, and where her husband (Mr. Charles Turner) is buried. Writing in reference to this contemplated change, Mr. John Plummer urges that some of the many thousands whom this favorite singer has delighted in past years should join in giving a farewell concert in her honor. Mr. Plummer thinks there would be no difficulty in organizing a testimonial concert; and Miss Montagu's many claims to popularity certainly justify such an impression."

Olympia to Leave.

An orderly from the Olympia called on the President yesterday afternoon with a notification that the cruiser would leave the harbor this afternoon. It is probable the President will return Captain Read's call this morning.

A MURDERED QUEEN.

Korea in the Hands of a Dictator.

THE KING FORCED TO ABDICATE.

Japanese Riots Attack the Palace at Seoul—The Tai Won Kun is Supreme. Warships Land Marines—Lan Chou Has Been Reported Captured, Etc.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—John A. Cockerill cables from Seoul as follows: A message was sent to the Herald on the 10th inst., giving details of the murder of the Queen of Korea and the outbreak of a revolution in that country, but it was intercepted at Tokio. The officials now apologize for its non-transmission.

The plot to kill the Queen was made by Korean friends of the Tai-won-Kun and irresponsible Japanese Soshi. The Japanese troops were at the palace gates when the butchery took place. The Tai-won-Kun was also brought to the palace shortly after the assault. There is nothing to show that the Japanese Minister had any knowledge of the plot. The King is now a prisoner and his father has been proclaimed dictator. A new cabinet has been constituted of pro-Japanese elements.

The Queen's officials have fled or are in hiding. Appeals have been issued to Koreans to rise and expel the Japanese. Marine guards from the United States cruiser Yorktown are protecting the legation. A Japanese Soshi has been arrested for the murder of the Queen.

Following is the dispatch referred to by Colonel Cockerill as intercepted by the authorities and which the European edition of the Herald will print tomorrow: The palace was broken into on Tuesday morning at 5 o'clock by a body of Korean troops and a band of Japanese Soshi in civilian dress. The Colonel in command of the troops, on refusing to enter the palace, was killed, and a number of palace guards were slain. The Japanese entered the Queen's room and killed the Queen, the minister of the household and three women. The bodies were taken outside and burned. Japanese troops were at the palace, but took no part in the proceedings.

The Tai-won-Kun, the King's father, reached the palace soon after the assault and assumed authority. He is now dictator, and is known to have been in the plot. The pro-Japanese party are in control. Many of the Queen's party have been arrested and many more have fled. It is believed that the Queen Dowager was killed last night and that the King will be forced to abdicate.

Guards from the United States warship Yorktown and Russian cruisers have been ordered up. Great excitement prevails. It is thought that the butchery will hasten action on the part of Russia.

The World's Tokio correspondent cables as follows: Persons wearing Japanese dresses and carrying Japanese swords were among the rioters who lately attacked the royal palace in Seoul, Korea. At first it was supposed they were Koreans disguised as Japanese, but now it is suspected they were Japanese Soshi, apparently hired ruffians. The Japanese Government has ordered an exhaustive inquiry.

The chief procurator (prosecutor) of the court at Yokohama has been sent to Korea to direct the investigation.

The Queen, it is believed, is dead. The Tai-won-Kun is supreme. He has forced the King to issue a decree degrading his consort to the level of a concubine and outlawing her family. The foreign legations at Seoul are guarded by marines from the foreign warships at Chemulpo. All is quiet.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A Shanghai dispatch to the Times says that Her Majesty's cruiser Edgar has suddenly been ordered to Chemulpo, where she will land a force of marines.

It is reported from Peking that some of the Mohammedan rebels in the province of Kansu have captured the city of Yan Chu, the capital of the province.

A communication from Chicago states that W. H. Johnson, proprietor of the Palace candy and stationery store, who was taken to Muscatine, Ia., his former home, by Sheriff Wylie of that place on the charge of embezzlement, has been sentenced to fifteen months in the penitentiary.

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Resolved, that the President and members of the Executive Council shall be officially addressed simply by the titles of their respective office; thus, "To the President," or "Mr. President," and similarly the members of the Cabinet. The terms "Excellency," "Honorable," and words of like import shall not be used in officially addressing the members of the Executive Council.

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT, BUREAU OF CUSTOMS, HONOLULU, H. I., October 11th, 1895.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1st, 1896 Importers, in making entry at the Custom House, will positively identify each case with its contents. Ample time is here allowed for notification of this necessity to all foreign consignors, and failure to comply after the date above named will inevitably cause increased delay and expense before delivery of the goods. From and after the same date, the reduction of Foreign currencies in Customs entries will be resumed by the Customs.

JAS. B. CASTLE, Collector-General of Customs.

Approved: S. M. DAMON, Minister of Finance.

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PETER KAHAKAULA has this day been appointed Poundmaster for the Government Pound at Mala, in the District of Lahaina, Island of Maui.

J. A. KING, Minister of the Interior.

Interior Office, Oct. 11th, 1895.

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J. KELIKAHU has this day been appointed Poundmaster for the Government Pound at Hilo, Island of Hawaii.

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Expedition to South Seas.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—Dr. W. E. Furness and Dr. H. M. Miller of the University of Pennsylvania will start on Saturday next for San Francisco, and will head an expedition from that city which will make a tour of the South Sea Islands.

The object of the trip is the collection of ethnological archaeological specimens for the University of Pennsylvania. It is expected that the expedition will be absent about a year.

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